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Previous references. 1897-98

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Later references.

File No. 12997

Serial Nos. 1 to 8

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1 to 8.

Major ~~Part~~ B for July 98

SUBJECT.

Appointment of Mrs. Julia Costello as midwife in the Shimoga Dt.

W D 1250—GPB—30,000 - 28-1-19

Received

Urgent

H/S Branch Please answer the following:— [illegible] 26/3/98

1) Is there any rules / Shimoga / reducing the pay of the midwife which Rs 30 p.m. now?

(1) As far as this office is aware, no reference on the subject appears to have been received [illegible] as yet. The sanctioned scale of salary for midwife of the ellyalam Taluk is only Rs 15 p.m. (Please see Pro. No. 4629-40 dt 7/9/93).

2) What has the effect of the [illegible] the Senior Surgeon on the Rules?

(2) The control over medical posts vests with Presidents of L.F. Boards. (Vide para 4 of Pro. No. 4629-40 dt 7-7-93).

3) Put up the latest Shimoga Annual Budget & mark the provision of Rs 30 p.m. for a midwife.

(3) Please see Ml Budget of Shimoga for 1897-98 submitted below. Midwife's pay as given as Rs 30 (Vide page 20 of the order portion below).

4) Is Mrs Costello a European or Eurasian?
(~~The birth & original [illegible] from Private Secretary~~)

(4) She is an Eurasian. Please see margin of para 1 S. Surgeon's letter dt 11/2/98 dt 25/3/98. When the sanction of the Govt of India is not necessary.

26/3/98

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Dy 1/4/98

R & 3.40 P.M. Dy 26/3

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DEWAN OF MYSORE

From The President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District.

To The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore Gl. and Rev. Departments

Dated 4th April 1898.

Despatched

Received

General No. 1107

No. 87

Enclosure No. 3

With reference to his docket No 12367 Mis: 2612 dated 1st inst, states that only Rs: 15 a month will be given to Mrs Costello, if as proposed by the Senior Surgeon, Govt would be pleased to make a grant of Rs: 15 per month for a year &c

Q. 7-4-98

Sub D 7/4/98

Intdance 14201-2 30-4-98

L 7255-92

Subd Office.

The Pres. does not appear to have consulted the Sub Board. If the Pres's proposals approved, Govt will have to contribute half of Rs30 from year only the entire charge being thereafter borne by the Mcty

7/4/98

Sub D

⊕ (1) The Board ... Rs ... (2) ... Rs ... Rs ... Rs ... Rs ... Rs ... Rs ...

17.4.98

(1) Please see ... Rs ... for 1898 ... (2) Please look ... Rs ... Orders 17/4 ...

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⊕ (1) The ... now ... to ... (2) Please see para ... Rs ... 2731-6 / R 928-9 ... 10/8/94 ... below

Rly 15/4/98.

... Rs ... Rs ...

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From

The President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Rev: Departments.

Dated 4th April 1898.

No. 1107/87 Cir: 3

His docket No. 12367 dated 1st Instant, Dis: 2612

Instant, enquiring whether the Municipal Board will take Mrs Costello as Midwife on the Budget pay of ~~Rs~~ 30/- per month in the room of Mrs Colquhon deceased.

In returning the enclosure in. received with the above, has the honor to state that only 15 Rupees a

month

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Provision of Rs 30 made in the Budget for 1897-98 was reduced to Rs 18/- at the Revised Estimate for 1897-98 and Rs 18/- was provided in the Budget for 1898-99 and 1899-1900 & 1899-1900 during the period under report Rs 30 was spent for Conveyance allowance to the Midwife at Chennagiri.

Submitted

The provision of Rs 600. made in the budget of the Shimoga Municipality for 1894-95 for the salary of the midwife at Shimoga at Rs 50 was reduced to Rs 285. with the observation that the provision that ought to be made in accordance with the Bd Board's resolution 13/16/4 for a midwife at Rs 15 per mensem or for midwifery allowance to the Female Hospital etc at Shimoga was only Rs 285. (Vide para 179 Proc 2731-6 & 2928-94 of 18/8/94).

(2) The President submitted for sanction a reappropriation

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statement of the Budget grant for 1894-95. providing additional funds to meet the salary of the Shimoga midwife at Rs 30 per mensem. Thereupon the President was asked to quote the authority under which the pay of the midwife was fixed at Rs 30 per mensem and the services of the late midwife were retained for 6 months during 1894-95.

(sl 14) m L. D 28-94

^(sl 19) — D —

+ Salary Rs 50

(3) The Dy Comr replied that in accordance with para 8 of the Board's Pro D 29/9/94, the pay of the midwife was fixed at Rs 30 per mensem and the the midwife was retained in service for four months in 1894-95 - from 1st July to end of Octr 1894. Thereupon the re-appropriation statement providing funds at the increased rate of salary to the Shimoga midwife was sanctioned with the remark that the pay of the midwife, viz Rs 30. was excessive and must be reduced to Rs 15 as in Chickmagalur or elsewhere (Sl 28)

etc. 1211/163 D 28/5/95 (Sl 21)

(1) Late midwife's salary for 5 months at Rs 50 p. m.	=	25
(2) Present midwife's pay at 30 Rs from July to March 95	=	85
(3) — for April to June 1895	=	90
		42 5 8
11/7/95 Deduct amount already provided		28 5 —
Increase sanction		14

(4) In each of the Budgets for 1895-96 and 1896-97, provision of Rs 30 per mensem was made for the salary of the midwife of Shimoga. It is to be added that the provision made in the budget of Shimoga for 1895-96 was allowed to stand pending the issue of final orders ~~on the~~ regarding the salary payable to the midwife.

Was there any distinct decision of Govt (Sl 12)

(5) In Govt Pro clo 3436-8 / L.3170-94 dy 10/9/95, the Govt sanctioned the disbursement of Rs 30 per mensem to Mrs M. Colquhoun as a special case, directed that the pay of the post should be reduced to Rs 15 per mensem when a vacancy should occur.

Submitted.

Dy 20/4/98

A with an observation that the previous sanction of Govt should have been obtained before the appointment was made and

Files kept in bundle D 2/1

Sealed Rs 2d 1r.
Formerly there was a midwife at Shimoga on 30 Rs a

a month - the pay has since been reduced to Rs 15-
Both the Senior Surgeon & the Presidency the Board are of opinion that the pay is too small for a large place like Thana

In consideration of the labour & anxiety & the State, the Senior Surgeon recommends that the medical who has passed the qualifying tests be admitted Medical officer of Thana on Rs 30 per mensem. The President wishes to hear her. The question is what pay should be & how it should be met. Rs 30 does not seem too much for a Native officer in a Municipal Town - & I cannot think the Board is too poor to meet it. The President wants help only for a year. Even this does not seem quite necessary. The President may be asked to discuss the matter with the Board

21-4-98

R 6.50 Pm.
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Chairman's opinion & resolution of the Board, explaining the circumstances & the

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The above order having been communicated from this office, the President now states that in a meeting held on 10th May 1898, the Shimoga Town municipal Board resolved to increase the pay of the midwife to Rs 30 a month.

May the Board's proposal be approved and the same communicated to the Senior Surgeon

2 Kannada do.

Under Secy's
20/5/98

Rd 7/Pln.
21.5.98.

Dy 19/5/98

Yes
9.6.98

Draft
Under Secy's
Dy 7/6/98

V. Keller
Dy 7/6/98

Draft Dy 10/6

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15/2/98

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1898

From

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To

The Secretary to Govt
Genl & Revenue Depts
Bangalore

Dated
Despatched
Received
General No.
No.

Enclosure No. 2

Forwarding for favourable Consideration and orders of Govt an application from Mrs Julia Costello widow of the late Assts Surgeon Costello of the Bombay Medl Service, applying for a suitable employment under the Senior Surgeon's recommendation.

References to be marked.

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16/4/98

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Subo.

There is a file about Mr Costello which notwithstanding the long search made has not been found. Rather than delay this submn any longer, the paper is submitted, herewith with the remark that the late Mr Costello was an Apothecary in the Madras Medical Deptt, which he resigned to join the Imperl Service. Had he kept on to the Madras Service his widow would have received a pension

21/3/98

Subd to Secty

Much time has been lost in searching for the papers relating to the deceased Mr Costello, which are not however very material to the present question.

As a separate sheet is noted upon certain material points.

It seems now necessary to ask the Med Board of Shimoga whether they will take Mrs Costello as Midwife on the 1st proxo at Rs 30 pm.

24/3/98

Yes - Enquire

26/3/98

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To.

The Secretary to Government
General and Revenue Departments
Bangalore.

Sir

I have the honor to submit for favourable Consideration and orders of Government the accompanying Application received from Mrs Julia Costello, widow of the late Assistant Surgeon Costello of the Mysore Medical Service, applying for a suitable employment under the Mysore Government.

* A Eurasian

2. Mr. Costello was a very efficient and trustworthy Officer who died in Bangalore in the year 1890, from Influenza while in the execution of

of his duty he having Caught
the infection himself while treating
Influenza Cases) after a very short
illness leaving his wife and Children
quite destitute of any help.

3. He rendered to Govt Govern-
ment services extending over a
period of 16 years and at the time
of his death the Family Consisted
of one widow i.e the applicant
and six young Children. In this
Connection I Cannot do better than
draw the attention of Govt
to this Office letter No: 968 D 20.5.90
(which will speak for itself) addressed
to Govt by my predecessor
in Office on behalf of the widow and
her Children recommending the Grant
of some Compassionate or other
allowance with the result quite
unfavorable to the widowed lady
and her poor Children.

4. After this the widow's struggling for earning a decent and honest livelihood were very great and finding that she could not succeed in any of her attempts, at last Applied to one for the Dufferins Scholarship to qualify herself as diplomaed Midwife and sick Nurse.

5. She was granted the Scholarship by one and After a years Course of Study at the Madras Maternity Hospital, passed the Qualifying tests.

6. She now seeks a situation Carrying with it a decent pay which will keep her and her Children beyond poverty and I Cannot, for the present, think of any other place, except that one lately became vacant Consequent on the death of Mrs Colquhon

Midwife

Midwife and Sick Nurse attached
to the Municipality of the Nuwara
town, who was in receipt of Rs 30/-
per mensem.

7. After the death of Mrs Colquhoun,
the President of the Nuwara Muni-
-cipality applied to me for a
qualified Midwife, but on a re-
-duced salary; but if the Govern-
-ment can see their way to appoint
Mrs Costello to the vacant post
on the same salary as was given
to Mrs Colquhoun viz Rs 30/- per
mensem it will be regarded by
Mrs Costello as great boon done
to the Family of one of the kindest
and deserving Officers of the Depart
Government.

8. If the Nuwara Municipality
should be too poor to meet the
whole pay out of their budget,

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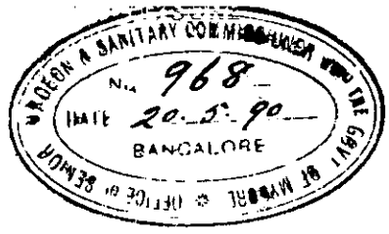
I have no other Alternative than to recommend the granting of a Certain proportion out of the Provincial Medical Budget, as I Consider that in a place like Skenaga which is out of the way so to speak, the presence of good qualified Midwife and Sick Nurse would be invaluable in the Case of sickness amongst any of the Officials.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant.

Brigade Surgeon & Colonial
Surg. Surgeon & Surg. Princ. Medical Staff



The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will be so good as to lay before Government at your early convenience the sad case of the family of the late Assistant Surgeon Costello who are left all but destitute by his sudden death.

2. The widow is in delicate health and will I fear be able to do but little towards the support of her children who are six in number, the eldest being I believe under nine years of age, so that with a delicate mother and six very young and helpless children the case is one calling for any help or compassionate allowance which Government can possibly give them.

3. Mr. Costello was a most efficient and trustworthy Officer of Government and I am quite persuaded that it was his zeal for his duty which hastened, if not brought about his death. My reasons for thinking so are that before his death he was very hard worked owing to my absence from Bangalore and the wide spread epidemic of influenza which

which prevailed at the time and even though feeling ill he felt unable to lie up because of the many calls for his services and in this way he allowed the disease which ultimately killed him to advance unchecked to such an extent that his chances of recovery were very small.

4. Under these circumstances I feel that my appeal to Government is based on stronger grounds than even those of pity and compassion for the destitute widow and children of one of its officers. It is based on the fact that the Officer in question died at his post because of his zeal and absence of consideration for himself where probably a less zealous man would have survived, and I trust Government will mark their appreciation of such zeal and self-sacrifice by keeping the widow and orphans of that officer out of absolute want.

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I have &c.

(Sd) J. J. McGann

Brigade-Surgeon Lt-Colonel

and Surgeon to Army Corps. Mounted Troops

"Copy"

Brigade-Surgeon Lt-Colonel

and Surgeon to Army Corps. Mounted Troops

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Bangalore
Albert Street
13-1-98

To
Surgeon Lieutenant P.H. Bruson
Senior Surgeon and
Sanitary Commissioner to the
Government of Mysore
Langford House
Bangalore

May it Please your Sir
The Humble Petition of

Julia Costello

Respectfully Sheweth.

That she is the widow of the late J. A Costello who after having served the Mysore Government for a period of 16 years died suddenly in Bangalore on the 15th day of April 1890

2 That she was thereupon left almost destitute with the large number of six young children the youngest being at the time 7 months old.

3 That her husband had resigned the Imperial Service in order to join the Mysore Service, by this act on the part of her late husband she has lost not only a pension for herself but also allowances for her children until they shall have attained the age of majority

That with the aid of a few friends

friends she was able to enter the Madras
Government Maternity Hospital & has
passed the test & has duly qualified
as a Midwife & Gynaecological
Sick Nurse as the two Diplomas
herewith submitted show

5. That she respectfully ventures to submit
that she is owing to the services
rendered to the Mysore State by her
late husband entitled to some
consideration & a suitable employment
under the Mysore Government.

6 That she therefore begs most humbly
to solicit that you Sir may be pleased
to appoint her to some suitable employment
some one of the Hospitals in the
Mysore State to enable her to support
& maintain herself & her younger
children

And will ever pray

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

Julia Cortello

Reg. No. 223
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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

To

The President
Municpl Board
Shimoga

Dated

No — Fr 12367 / Mis 2612 — 1-4-98

In forwarding in original, letter No. 25-38 dated 11th February 1898 with enclosure from the Senior Surgeon to the Govt of Mysore, I have the honor to enquire whether the Municipal Board will take Mrs Costello as Midwife on the budgetted pay of Rs 30 per mensem in the room of Mrs Colgan deceased.

~~to be returned.~~

Bysandra
29/3/98

Secretary

20 L 2289 Mis 3735

From

The president of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore, Gl. & Rev. Departments.

Dated 4th April 1898

Dispatched.

Received.

General No 1107

No. 87

Enclosure No 3.

With reference to his docket No 12367 Mis 2612 dated 18th inst, stating that only Rs 15/- a month will be given to Mrs. Castells, if as proposed by the Senior Surgeon, Govt would be pleased to make a grant of Rs 15/- per month for a year &c.

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From The President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga Dt.

To. The Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General & Rev: Departments.

Dated 4th April 1898.

No 1107/87 Enc. 3.

His Docket No 12367/mis 2612 dated 18th March enquiring whether the Municipal Board will take Mrs. Castells as Midwife on the Budget pay Rs 30/- per month in the room of Mrs. Colquhon deceased.

In returning the enclosure received with the above, Has the Honor to State that only 15 Rupees a month

month is provided for in the Budget for the next year, and that the Municipality cannot afford to pay more at present It has been decided by Government that the pay should be reduced to 15 Rupees. This is no doubt insufficient for the Town.

If, as the Senior Surgeon proposes, the Government would be pleased to make a grant of Rupees 15 per month for a year she will at once be taken into the service of the Municipality. Provision may be made for the whole cost being eventually borne by the Municipality.

H. Macmunday

President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District

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23 Read:

Correspondence ending with
D.L. No 1107 of 4 April 1898
from the Resident of the Mundu
in the Shimoga Dte stating
that if Govt. be pleased to
make a grant of Rs 15 per
month for a year, Mrs
Costello will at once be
taken into the service of the
Municipality as a Hnd
wife, and that by custom she
may eventually be borne
by the Municipality

Order thereon

It is observed
that no portion of the Cost.
is a proper charge on Pro.
Vincial funds and the
Mund Board of Shimoga
is not too
poor to meet it. The Presi
dent is requested to
place the matter
before the Board,
& explain the circumstan

From the Shimoga
1303/106 of 12.5.96 L2514

Shimoga

on Rs 30 p. m. the remaining
Rs 15 being met from mul
funds

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14201—2 of 20/4/98—
L7.255—92

That Rs 15-m be sanctioned
salary for the Hnd-
wife upon condition
that the Shimoga
that a qualified
Hnd wife on 300 Rs
cannot be useful
at that station,

to them and submit their final resolution for the orders of Govt:

23/4/98

Secretary

Dtg 27/4

To The President of the Ct
Shimoga Distt
Senior Surgeon

No 1303
104

Office of the President of
Municipalities. Shimoga District
Shimoga 12th May 1898.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General and Revenue Departts.

Sir,

With reference to Government Proceedings No 4201 (50) dated 30th Ultimo
L.7255.92
requesting the submission of a final resolution passed by the Municipal Board in appointing a Midwife on Rs 30/- per mensem, for the Shimoga Municipality &c:
I have the honour to state that in a meeting held on the 10th Instant the Shimoga Town Municipal Board resolved to increase the pay of the Midwife to Rs 30/- a month, and to enclose herein a copy of the resolution for the orders of Government.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H. Manjundayya
President of Municipalities
Shimoga District

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From The President of Municipalities Shimoga District

To The Secretary to the Government of Mysore Legal and Rev. depts.

Dated

Despatched 12th May 1898.

Received

General No. 7303

No. 104

Enclosure No. 1

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 14201 (50) dated 30th Ultimo forwards copy of resolution of the Shimoga Town Municipal Board regarding the increase of pay to the Inclerque of the Shimoga Municipality.

L.T. 255-92

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L.T. 255 of 92 put up

18/5/98

Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Shimoga Town Municipal Board held in the Deputy Commissioner's Office on Tuesday 10th May 1898.

II Read Government Proceedings No. 14201-2 / L.J.255-92 dated 30th April 1898 concerning the appointment of a Midwife on Rupees 30/- per mensem for Shimoga Municipality.

Resolved that as Shimoga is an important place, a monthly pay of Rs. 30/- may be paid to a competent Midwife.

Sd/ H. V. Nanjundayya.
President of the Shimoga Municipality

"Copy"
H. Nanjundayya
President of Municipalities
Shimoga District

MKH

28 Read

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Correspondence ending with
letter No 1303/104 dy 12 May 1898
from the President of the Munic-
ipalities Shimoga D. stating,
that ... a meeting held on the
10th idem, the Shimoga Town
Mural Board have, with
reference to Govt. Pro. No 14201/L.T.255-92
dy 30 April 1898, resolved
to increase the pay of the mid
wife at Shimoga to Rs 30
a month.

R/2626-

No 16458-60 dy 16/6/98
" L.T.255-92

Order thereon,

The proposal of
the Senior Surgeon, ~~Con-~~
~~curred in by the Mural~~
~~Board of Shimoga~~, to employ
a midwife on Rs 30 per
mensem for the town of
Shimoga, which has been agreed to by the Mural Board of Shimoga, is sanctioned
The date from which the
midwife

midwife on Rs 30 will be 99
appointed Should she report
to Govt:
ed, and the President Shows
is requested to
point out the source in the
Munl. Budget from which
the charge can be met.

BoR.
14/6/96

14-6-96.

Secretary
D.J. 10/6/96

To The Police Inst. Shimoga &c.
Senior Surgeon
Comptroller

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1897-98. 115-90 30 6-90 (55)

From The President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District.

To The Secretary to the Government of Mysore Genl and Rev Depts.

Dated 29th June 1898.

Despatched

Received

General No. 1484

No. 125

Enclosure No.

With reference to Government proceedings No. 16458-60 / L. F. 255-92 dated 16th Instant states that a midwife on Rs 30/a for the Shimoga Municipality will be appointed from 1st July 1898 as stated by the Senior Surgeon in his docket No. 4019 dated 23rd Instant.

Genl Dept.

No 1484
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Office of the President of Municipalities, Shimoga Dist.
Shimoga, 29th June 1898.

To,

The Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Genl and Rev
Departments.

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 16458-60 / L.F. 255-92 dated 16th " 8C&74
instant, requesting me to report the
date from which the midwife on Rs 30/a
will be appointed and to point out
the Source in the Shimoga Town Munici-
cipal budget from which the charge
can be met, I have the honour to state
that Mrs. Julia Costello, a qualified
midwife will be appointed on Rs 30/a
from 1st " July 1898 as stated by the
Senior Surgeon in this docket No. 4019
dated 23rd " instant.

The increased charge viz Rs 180/a
may be met out of Rs 1000/a provided
in the budget of the Shimoga
Municipality

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1897-98. 11590/98 (55)

From The President of the Municipalities in the Shimoga District.

To The Secretary to the Government of Mysore Genl and Rev Depts.

Dated 29th June 1898.

Despatched

Received

General No. 1484

No. 125

Enclosure No.

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Municipality for the year 1898-99
under the head XI miscellaneous (the)
"other Items" (10) "unforeseen expenses".

Donation Cheque
S & K
5/7/98

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant.

H. U. Manjunadaya

President of municipalities

in the Shimoga District.

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Read:

Letter No 1484/125 dy 29th June 98 from the President of the municipalities in the Shemoga Dt. Stating, with reference to Govt Proceedings No 16458-60/L7 255-92 dy 16th idem June 1898 that the said mife, on Rs 30 for the Shemoga town per annum, the Shemoga mill be entertained from the 1st July 1898 and that the increased charge, viz. Rs 180 will be met from the Sum of Rs 1000 provided in the budget of the Shemoga Municipality for the year 1898-99 under the head XI Miscellaneous, (b) other items (10) Unforeseen expenses."

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order thereon: 297-98/L7-255-92 dy 7/98

Recorded Approved

BD 5/7/98

for Secretary

Orig 5/7/98

To The President of the municipality in the Shemoga Dt

" Comptroller